IN THE HIGH COURT OF UTTARAKHAND
AT NAINITAL

Writ Petition No. 900 (S/S) of 2007

Kanti Rawat W/o Sri Dharm Singh Rawat
R/o Bank Colony Jonpur, Kotdwar
District Pauri Garhwal --------Petitioner

Versus

1. State of Uttarakhand through its Secretary School Education, Dehradun
2. Director, School Education, State of Uttarakhand, Dehradun
3. District Education Officer, Pauri Garhwal
4. Additional District Education Officer (Basic), Pauri Garhwal

---------Respondents

Hon'ble M.M. Ghildiyal, J.

Heard Sri R.K. Shah, learned counsel for the petitioner and Sri Paresh Tripathi, learned Brief Holder for State of Uttarakhand for the respondents.

By means of this writ petition, the petitioner has prayed to issue a writ, order or direction in nature of certiorari to quash the order dated 06.06.2007 passed by Additional District Education Officer (Basic), Pauri Garhwal by which the petitioner, who is working as Assistant Teacher in Primary School Jhandichaur (North), has been transferred to Primary School, Lakhwar, Block Duggada, District Pauri Garhwal.

The petitioner has challenged the aforesaid order on three grounds. First is that she has already spent 17 years of her service in *Durgam* and *Ati Durgam* area and she has again been transferred from the present place of posting which is a *Sugam* area to *Durgam* area.

The second ground is that the petitioner, who has joined the present institution only on 19.07.2005, has been disturbed by the respondent whereas the other teachers, who are staying in the institution for more than 10 years, have not been transferred. The third ground of the petitioner is that she is 54 years of age and as such at the fag end of her service, she has been transferred to *Durgam* place.

The petitioner may raise all her grievances by means of a representation before the authority concerned.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner has already made a representation on 10.07.2007 before Additional District Education Officer (Basic), Pauri Garhwal, District Pauri Garhwal.

In the circumstances, respondent no. 4 is directed to pass speaking order on the representation of the petitioner dated 10.07.2007, especially on the aforesaid three ground, which are mentioned in the body of the judgment within a period of three weeks from the date of production of a certified copy of this order produced before him.

With this direction, the writ petition is finally disposed of. All the pending applications stand disposed of.

(M.M. Ghildiyal, J.)

17.07.2007
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